

BEFORE
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF
SOUTH CAROLINA
DOCKET NO. 1999-471-C - ORDER NO. 2000-0283
MARCH 21, 2000

IN RE: Application of HJN Telecom, Incorporated) ORDER
To Amend Its Certificate of Public) DISMISSING
Convenience and Necessity To Provide Local) APPLICATION
Exchange Telecommunications Services)

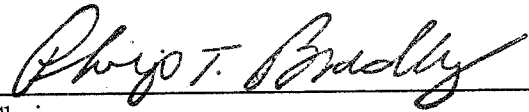
This matter comes before the South Carolina Public Service Commission (the "Commission") by way of the Application of HJN Telecom, Incorporated ("HJN Telecom" or the "Company") to amend its Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide local exchange telecommunications services in the State of South Carolina. On December 14, 1999, Executive Director Gary E. Walsh informed the Company by letter that it must publish, at its own expense, on or before December 28, 1999, HJN Telecom's Notice of Filing and Hearing in newspapers of general circulation, in the affected areas, one time and provide Proof of Publication to the Commission on or before January 20, 2000. HJN Telecom was also informed in this letter that failure to comply with the aforementioned dates could result in the dismissal of the Company's application. HJN Telecom failed to publish its Notice of Filing and Hearing in newspapers of general circulation on or before December 28, 1999; therefore, adequate notice to the public could not be achieved within the one hundred twenty day time period as required by S.C. Code Ann. §58-9-280 (Supp. 1999).

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

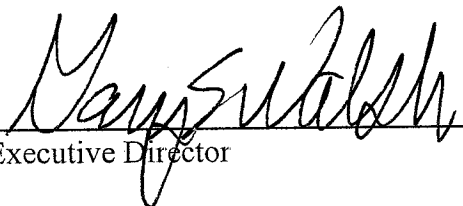
HJN Telecom's application to amend its Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide local exchange telecommunications services within the State of South Carolina shall be dismissed without prejudice.

This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:


Chairman

ATTEST:


Executive Director

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